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PARADE WILL BE LED BY POLICE ON HORSEBACK

Aids for Big Parade To Be Held Tomorrow Morning Chosen.

MANY AUTOISTS COMING

Word Received From Owners In Neighboring Towns That They Will Bring Machines.

With Chief of Police C. W. Albright and his force in the lead, a mounted cavalcade with prancing steeds will head the big parade in the Anniversary celebration here tomorrow. Behind the mounted police will be the chief marshal and his aids. The chief is J. J. Hott, with John Majors for assistant. The corps of aids is composed of the following: Capt J. K. Hein, R. H. Rush, Dr. D. E. Kimmell, S. K. Leonard, Louis Greenberg, H. A. McDermott, BurtStroud Eli Hannen, Harry Worthington, I. N. Frye, W. E. Potter, M. Wells, C. W. Weltner, Ralph Chester, C. C. Holyfield, Harris Hannen, Roy Allen, Frank Nelson, Noah Roley, T. J. McDermott and F. W. Jones.

Chief Marshal Hott requests all aids to report at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning at First street and McKean avenue, mounted on horses and wearing a red, white and blue sash. Mr. Hott stated last night that everybody was invited to turn out in the parade, on horseback, in carriages, automobile, delivery wagons or on bicycles, and good places would be assigned to them, particularly those riding or driving ponies. All horsemen from the country are requested to report to Assistant Marshal John Majors for a place in the line of march.

Mr. Hott has received word from Monessen, Monongahela, Belle Vernon and other places that from 20 to 30 automobiles from those towns will be on hand to take part in the parade. These, with the large number of cars in Charleroi, will make the most imposing parade of the kind ever shown in Charleroi. Mr. Hott requests the burgess and town council to assemble at the borough building not later than 9 o'clock, as he has made arrangements for them to ride in the auto parade.

In addition to the John A. Wood Band, the Naomi Band and the Marianna Fife and Drum Corps have been secured to furnish music. The John A. Wood Band has been engaged for the day, and band concerts will be a feature. Each of the bands will bring large delegations from their respective towns.

Capt. Harry Landefeld of the Monongahela Cadets, has sent word that he will have 40 men in line for the competitive drill here in the evening with the Charleroi Boys Brigade and the Monessen Cadets. Capt. Newcomer of the latter organization expects to have a full corps in the drill.

The Eureka Garage of Monongahela has entered a car for the hill climbing contest. It may be a matter of interest for the public to know that the paving which will connect Charleroi with North Charleroi will be finished today, so that paved streets are now continuous between Charleroi and Monessen. Everything has been arranged for the big demonstration, and a fair day will bring perhaps the largest crowd that ever assembled in Charleroi.

Rose bushes only 10c apiece at Haube's. 190tl

Purdes, a Victim of Train, Not Murdered

The coroner's jury investigating the death of Staina Purdes, whose mangled body was found on the railroad tracks near Bentleyville on Monday morning, yesterady learned from a number of witnesses that he was not murdered as thought, but had been killed by a train, and returned a verdict to that effect. George Reese, who had been arrested as a suspect, was released upon order of Coroner Heffran.

LOCAL MEN AFFECTED

The six per cent. raise declared for all employes getting under $300 per month by the Pennsylvania railroad, is effective on the Monongahela Division, as well as the other branches. There are a large number of employes on the division, and the increase will be greatly welcomed.

The advance was ordered by the directors and is the third general voluntary increase in wages by the Pennsylvania in eight years. It will involve an addition of about $10,000,000 to the payroll of the various companies of the system. In December, 1902, an increase of 100 per cent was given all workmen receiving less than $200 a month, and in 1906 another increase of 10 per cent was granted which, with the present advance of six per cent. makes a total of 28.26 per cent over the rates paid in 1902 This, with the increase due to promotions and other avdances, makes the total increase about 33 per cent since 1902, or an increase of about one-third in eight years.

In an official statement the company points out that the cost of living has greatly increased since the fall of 1908 although it is not considered much higher than in 1906. It also points out that railroad expenses have increased, some supplies costing 6 and 7 per cent more than in 1902. The present increase begins with April.

Snakes Making Their Appearance Earlier

Mrs. Ella Hazelbaker, Long Branch, reports the first snake story of the season. Last week she killed two on her farm, both evidently garter snake. The snakes are making their appearance earlier this year than for many prveious seasons, it is stated.

Notice

At a joint meeting of the arrangement committee for the Labor Day celebration and a committee from the Retail Clerks Union it was decided to leave the early closing of the stores optional with the merchants as to whether he shall close his store on Friday evening, April 1, at 6 p. m. as agreed upon or not This does in no way change the early closing movement which will be on Monday evening, April 4, as per agreement.

The above action was brought about by the Big Demonstration which will take place here on Friday, April 1.

Frank Taylor,
190tlp J. W. McKean.

Brick Ice Cream in all flavors always on hand at Wagner's 190tl

MINERS WILL GO OUT AT MIDNIGHT BUT SHORT STRIKE IS PREDICTED

President T. L. Lewis Thinks There Will Be An Early Adjustment of Wages In Mine Dispute.

MATTER IS NOW REALLY UP TO VARIOUS DISTRICTS

Tonight at midnight all operations in the mines throughout this district will be suspended, owing to a failure of the operators and miners to come to any agreement at the wage conference at Cincinnati. The suspension takes place at midnight in order to permit the miners to celebrate the anniversary of the eight-hour day tomorrow, April 1. After that the miners will not return to work until an understanding is reached in regard to the wage scale, and an advance is granted which must now be settled by districts, subject to a national agreement.

Although all the miner will virtually be on strike, the suspension is not expected to be of long duration. It is predicted that a couple of weeks at the most will witness the end of the supsension. As on previous occasons, when a wage scale was to be settled, and both sides had disagreed, the matter was eventually settled by districts. It is stated that some of the districts in some of the States have signified a willingness to grant the advance asked, and that some of the operators in other districts are willing to comply with the demand. That being the case, it is considered only a matter of time for the others to come to an amicable agreement.

In the Pittsburg district the powder question is still a bone of contention. The use of the new safety explosives, the miners claim, increased the cost of mining, and decreases their wages. No conclusion has been reached on this matter yet District President Francis Feehan has called a joint conference with the Pittsburg operators for the purpose of trying to come to an agreement, and it is expected that this will not be a difficult matter. National President Tom Lewis states that the strike will last only a few days, and that the miners generally will be granted an advance on a five-cent basis.

LOST CHILD ENJOYS RIDE WHILE SEARCH IS MADE FOR PARENTS

Chief of Police C. W. Albright and Patrolman Gerge McEldowney tested the efficiency of an improvised automobile patrol yesterday aftrenoon, when they started out to return a lost child to its parents. The child was found wandering along Fallowfield avenue near Fifth street, about 3 o'clock apparently not greatly frightened, but feeling very much lost. It was about two years old, and like some bankers refused to talk. Chief of Police Albright, Officer McEldowney, Health Officer Darby, and a lot of others stood around for quite a while studying the problem of how to locate the child's parents, when it was solved by a stranger driving along in a Ford automobile. The car was drafted into service by the chief, who with the child in his arms, started out with the chauffer to cover the town.

After an investigation at the upper end of town a trip was taken down street, and at the corner of Eighth street and Fallowfield avenue a claimant was found for the waif. It was the son of John Corrigon. The youngster had apparently much enjoyed his ride in the automobile, and looked rather wistfully at the receding machine when it pulled away.

W. & J. Track Team Has Some Stars

Capt. Harvey Chalfant, of the Washington and Jefferson College track team, stopped off in Charleroi yesterday a short time, on his way home from college, for the week's vacation. Stopping at the Mail office a short time, he stated that this year's track team would much surpass last year's, and said affairs were pretty even between W. and J. and the University of Pittsburg, the down river bunch having improved likewise. W. and J. would not put any entrants into the Fort Pitt A. C. meet, he said, but would save them until later.

Public Sale.

Saturday, April 2, at the home of Jennie Newman, 1013, Linclon Avenue will be offered for sale the following house goods: Beds, bedding, chiffoniers, dressers, stands, sideboards, sewing machine, washing machine, refrigerator, tables, chairs, rockers, heating stoves, large range, carpets, matting, linoleum, dishes, pictures, cooking utensils, etc. Jacob Aamlong, auctioneer. 18t4p

Notice to the Public

According to our court's ruling we have discontinued solicitors. All persons wishing beer, will call at the Charleroi Brewery, or send order and money by mail, and the order will be promptly delivered.

Independent Brewing Co., Pittsburg, Charleroi Brewery. 155tf

WILL TAKE PARTY OF TURISTS INTO THE LONE STAR STATE

E. C. McNeal, an eastern agent for the Concho Land company, of Carlsbad and San Angelo, Texas, is here for several days securing a party of tourists to make a trip to Texas, where the company has a ranch of 60,000 acres for sale. Mr. McNeal is the guest of his brother-in-law, Harvey Parsons

A special Pullman will be chartered for the trip, or if there are enough in the party, a special train. Already several have signified their intention of taking the trip with Mr. McNeal.

The ranch to be sold is the Bailey M. Collins ranch, on the Santa Fe railroad. It is located in Tom Green county, 60 miles west of the geographical center of the State, in the North Concho river valley. It is the intention to divide the ranch up into a number of farms, of from 40 to 240 or 250 acres.

Farms in this part of Texas, which formerly sold for $5.00 and $6.00 per acre, are now selling for $20 an acre within six or seven miles of a town, gradually decreasing in value, as the distance from a city or town increases. Mr. McNeal expects to be here until some time next week, and will recruit the entire party from this immediate neighborhood, if possible. The Texas trip will be taken in about three weeks.

Vacancies Filled By Sunday School Board

At a meeting of the Sunday school board of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school last night, the resignations of Joseph Kenyon, as superintendent of the Sunday School and of C. C. Crill as assistant superintendent, were read and accepted W. S. James was elected to take Mr. Kenyon's place as superintendent, and W. D. Pollock was chosen as his assistant.

Mr. Kenyon expects to leave about the middle of April for Los Angeles, California, to accept a high position with the Frankfort Marine Plate Glass and Accident company. Mr. Crill will go on the road for a Jeannette firm in a few days.

As next Sunday will be their last in office, Mr. Kenyon and Mr. Crill, have specially requested that all who have ever been connected with the Sunday school be present. Mr. Kenyon was for 3 1 2 years superintendent of the Sunday School. Mr. Crill has served in various offices of the Sunday school and church.

Will Meet For Drill

The Charleroi Boys' Brigade, under Capt. R. Dale Jolliffe, will meet tonight at 7 o'clock sharp, at the lawn tennis grounds to prepare for the Friday's competitive drill with Monessen and Monongahela Cadets. The brigade has been practicing on extended order lately.

KENNEDY GETS RATHER A COOL RECEPTION AT DONORA

Opens Campaign at Down River Town at Public Meeting.

TRY TO "KNOCK" TENER

Speakers Accompanying Congressional Aspirant Fail to Accomplish Results.

Accompanied by a small party of spellbinders from his own town and county, T. L. Kennedy of New Brighton, who aspires to succeed Congressman John K. Tener as the Republican nominee for Congress for this district, opened his campaign with a public meeting at Donora last night. It was held in the Grand Theatre, and was quite largely attended. The greater part of the audience, however, was composed of Congressman Tener's friends, who were present chiefly through curiosity to hear what "the other fellow" had to say.

The meeting was called to order by J. B. McCune of Donora, who introduced Mr. Kennedy. The latter pleaded his inability to make an address on account of a sore throat, and after a few remarks relative to his candidacy retired. He was succeeded in turn by Attorneys Lawrence M. Sebring and John F. Elliott, both members of the Beaver county bar, and D. F. Twiford, deputy register recorder of Beaver county. These speakers tried to "knock" Mr. Tener in various ways, but at the mention of the Congressman's name, it was hard to suppress the enthusiasm for the Charleroi Representative that was eveywhere apparent.

From the reception it was clearly evident that Mr. Kennedy has not succeeded in driving any "entrance wedges" into Congressman Tener's stronghold. The former has a cold and distant manner, and is not at all cordial in his relations. He expects to make a tour of the river district before he returns home.

Man Buried Alive 8 Days Will Lecture

Manager R. L. Barnhart has secured a big feature for the Palace Theatre tonight. This is the original pictures of the burning and wrecked mine at Cherry Valley, Illinois, where one of the most disastrous explosions in this country occurred a short time ago. In connection with the picture will be a lecture by one of the survivors. This is Q. Antenoie, who, dressed in the clothes he wore in the mine, tells of the horrors of being buried alive for eight days. This feature only appears tonight, and is in addition to the regular program which includes a Biograph dramatic success, "The Love of Lady Irma," and a Edison thrilling melodrama, "A Mountain Blizzard." Orchestra concerts and illustrated songs round out a strong program.

Meeting Night Changed

Owing to the impossibility of two members of the school board to be present next Thursday evening the regular meeting will be held Friday evening of this week, at the borough building. The two who find it impossible to be present are D. H. Glunt and George Gunderman.

Rose bushes only 10c apiece at Haube's. 190tl

MANY PEOPLE LEAVE TOWN

Charleroi is losing several good families this spring through an unprecedented exodus to other parts of the country.

Last week James Graham and family, Frank Davidson and family, H. M. Stokes and family and George Armstrong went to Atlantic City, to locate. S. A. Walton and family and John Dunham and family are going east to Buck's county, and Joseph Kenyon, William Kenyon, and Joseph Godissart and their families are going to California.

All three of the latter named families will locate in Los Angeles, although Joseph Kenyon, who has been appointed to the position of manager of the accident department for ten Pacific States for the Frankfort Marine Plate Glass and Accident Insurance company of Frankfort on the Main, Germany, will have his offices in San Francisco. William Kenyon will have charge of the Los Angeles office of the same company. Mr. Godissart will in all probability enter the real estate business.

Joseph Kenyon has a third interest in the Pierce, Woodward and Kenyon insurance office at Monessen, but will retire before he leaves this section. William Kenyon has been actively connected with the insurance business in this place for some time. A reception will be given for them by members of the Methodist Episcopal church on Monday evening.

Mr. Godissart was until recently in the shoe business in Charlreoi, and was connected with the People's Real Estate Agency.

Your wife and children like brick cream, so drop into Wagner's and take a brick home. 190tl

McCleary Gets Raise

By order of the court, which was concurred in by both Judges McIlvaine and Taylor, the salary of County Detective Wm. McCleary has been increased from $75 a month to $100 a month. Detective McCleary has been particularly active during the past year in raiding speakeasies rounding up beer agents, and making informations against offenders in all parts of the county, and the increase is justified.

Everybody Decorate.

Burgess Risbeck requests the merchants and business people to decorate their stores and places of business tomorrow if the day is fair. This will add greatly to the appearance of the town and be more in keeping with the spirit of the occasion.

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FOR CONGRESS

JOHN K. TENER

OF CHARLEROI

Subject to the Decision of the Republican Voters of the Twenty-Fourth District at the Primaries June 4

Settlement in Sight.

Although the operators and coal miners of this district have failed to come to an agreement concerning the wage scale for the ensuing year before the first of April, and a suspension has been called, there is yet good reasons to expect that the differences will be speedily settled, and that a long drawn out strike will be avoided. Two years ago, it will be remembered, there was a month's suspension in this district before the wage controversy was settled. Now, the mine officials predict, the suspension is not likely to be more than of two week's duration.

After a failure to come to an agreement in national conference, the committees have adjourned with a virtual agreement to settle the matter by districts. These settlements, of course, must be subject to some general condition and regulations adopted at the national conference. As different conditions prevail in different districts, and the mining scale varies widely in different fields and according to different methods of mining, local conditions to a considerable extent must govern the term of settlement. These, however, must all be made on basis of at least a five-cent increase. As general conditions seem to warrant this increase, there is every reason to believe that it will be granted sooner or later, and that all the mines will soon be at work again.

Unemployed Labor.

Notwithstanding the general advance in material prosperity and the resumption of industrial institutions during the past year, there is still a big army of unemployed labor throughout the country. This is evidenced by the action of the Pittsburg city councils voting to start the proposed municipal improvements, which have been planned on an extenisve scale, as soon as possible in ordre to furnish work for the unemployed of the city, which is badly needed. Another evidence is the number of strikes that have been lost by other workmen taking the places of the strikers. The results of these labor contests signify that the same number of workmen were idle before as after the strike. They have simply exchanged places. So long as a vast army of unemployed is to be found in the congested centers, organized labor will continue to find it a hard matter to get and maintain an increase in wages.

Formerly, when there was free Government land easy of access, men who felt the pinch in the labor market sought the land and became producers. That made cheap living for all. Now, with the available land all taken, and the labor market being glutted by immigration, the army of unemployed is steadily increasing. About the only solution of this problem is to get the unemployed back to the abandoned farms and unproductive lands. That is the only way to reduce the cost of living and to furnish work for the unemployed.

How it Was Done.

To the query, "How is it possible for any of the Pittsburg banks to pay large sums of money for the purpose of bribing city councilmen to make the bank a depository for city funds without the directors knowing it?" a man well versed in financial affairs says the matter is perfectly easy. As is well known, banks are first approached for contributions for every conceivable project and leg-pulling device that can be devised, and as a matter of business policy it is not always discreet to turn everything down. To meet these demands the cashier is usually given a certain latitude, and a fund is appropriated annually for this purpose. It may be charged up as advertising expenses, or for business promotion, and the directors never know, and perhaps do not care to know, just how the money was spent, although they voted to make the appropriation.

As the business of a bank increases, these donations and expenditures for business promotions increase, until the fund annually appropriated for the purpose may reach large proportions. So long as the expenditure of the fund shows results, the directors never need to quesiton the expediency of its use. It may be employed in a perfectly legitimate manner, or it may be used dishonestly; the directors usually have no knowledge of any of the latter transactions if such are employed. So long as the sums expended approximate the annual demands, they would have no cause for suspicion. This policy of not questioning the expenditure of certain funds appropriated for a specific purpose may not be altogether a safe one, but it seems to have been practiced to a considerable extent

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The first snake story has come in. It's about time for others to follow.

Snow has fallen heavily in some western States during the past few days. Does that mean that we have to have some more winter?

As usual Col. Roosevelt is stirring things up, this time in Egypt. The conservative English are afraid he said too many good things.

Every time the President of France causss comment upon any subject his picture is printed in the papers, and he is written up in great style. If comment was all an American President caused, we would think there was something seriously wrong

Let's see. Is it April 15, or May 1, or May 15 that we are allowed to put on our straw lids? So important a topic should be taken up at once.

He who conceals a useful truth is equally guilty with the propagator of an injurious falsehood.—Augustine. Some fellows could never be accused of the aforesaid crime, for they never concealed anything.

New York women want to don the bifurcated garments of the sterner sex. The next move will be to have the men compelled to wear dresses.

The price of Boston beans has gone up. The tale of Jack and the Bean stalk isn't in it now.

The New York World says that Republicans want Roosevelt to run for the offices. Nope. Not the one we are holding down.

A folding horse that would fit under the seat of an automobile for use in emergencies, would be about the most welcome invention of today.

On sheep belonging to an Oregon man crops of grass are being raised. Why don't they wash the wool of those poor lambs occasionally.

If college glee clubs come very often, there's going to be a mighty lot of unhappiness manifest in this town. All the girls will go back on their steadies.

The Alvin—Pittsburg.

What will likely prove to be the most protentious production made by any American theatrical manager in recent theatrical history will be that of "Dick Whittington," "musical comedy extravaganza," which the Shuberts will present at the Alvin theatre the week of April 4th. "Dick Whittington" as every school boy knows, is an old story, full of romance and so fanciful that nowadays it could hardly hold water except as a book of musical comedy.

Last season at the Drury Lane Theatre, London, "Dick Whittington" was produced on an elaborate scale as the annual pantomime at this national theatre. The play, however, has been considerably revised for America. From a comic point of view, "Dick Whittington" can rightly be looked upon as a marvel of stage craft. There are three acts of three scenes each, one scene representing a transformation which shows over nine complete changes of scenery.

The Shuberts are particularly proud of the cast which they have selected for the production of this offering. Among the principals are Frank Byron, Jesse Dandy, James Diamond, Henry Clarice, Alfred Grady, Edwin Le Mar, Norma Brown, Dorothy Webb, Irene Dillon, Mlle. Rayo, Edna Bates, Louise Carver, Louise Langdon and many others of equal fame and prominence.

Matinees will be given on Wednesday and Saturday, the former at popular prices. There will be no advance in the regular scale of Alvin prices during the engagement of "Dick Whittington" at that popular play house. Seats ready Thursday. Mail orders received now will be filled when accompanied by check or money order.

The Grand—Pittsburg.

The Grand Opera House, Pittsburg, presents for the week beginning Monday afternoon, April 4, a program of high class vaudeville in which a number of foreign feature acts will be exploited.

Direct from the New York Hippodrome, where its first American engagements are now being concluded, Thalero's Novelty Circus will come. Mlle. Thalero, the captivating directress of Thalero's Circus, enjoys the reputation of being the best animal trainer in Europe and her little family of dogs and ponies, educated to the highest degree of annual intelligence, belief her reputation. There is one part of the act which always calls for wild applause. While the ponies are galloping around the ring at full speed, each ridden by a canine equestrian, the dogs turn back somersaults from one horse to the other exchanging mounts simultaneously.

Still another foreign attraction will be that of Les Trombettas, original duetists from the Follies Bergere, Paris. This grotesque comedian, aided by a sprightly and lean soubrette, will sing character comedy songs with imitations.

Miss Beatrice Ingram, a legitimate actress of sterling qualities, will present a dramalet entitled "The Duchess." She will be supported by a company of capable players and her impersonations are said to be a virile stage characterization and the playlet tells a stirring story of human interest and romance with the tender passion dominating its action.

"The wakening of the Toys" will be given by DeWitt, Burgess and Torrence. The trio with particularly clever pantomime, songs and dances, have always met the favor of theatrical patrons. "The Awakening of the Toys" is pantomime etxravaganza in tabloid.

Barry Wolford will offer a new singing comedy. Half a dozen other brilliant attractions and new moving pictures comprise the Grand's offering.

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Meeting Called.

A meeting of St. Jerome's Catholic church league team will be held at the undertaking rooms of Correll and Crowley, on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

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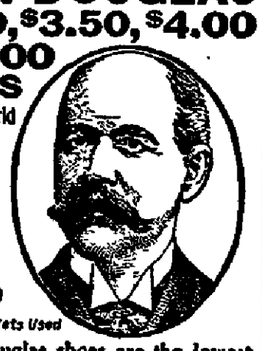

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THE CRUSH OF WORLDS.

What Would Happen if a Dead Sun Invaded Our Solar System.

It is possible, though it is not proved, that stars may sometimes approach one another and even "leap madly from their spheres." "What would happen were an unknown star or a dead sun to invade our solar system?" asks a writer in the London Illustrated News, who answers his query in two ways. In the first place, the star might rush straight into the sun and by the heat of the collision reduce the sun and all its planets to a nebulous mass without form or structure. But it is more mathematically probable that just as comets approach, circle and recede from the sun, so the starry invader of our system would approach our system and recede from it, having altered it beyond recognition.

But what would be its effect upon our sun? The sun as we know it today is explosively elastic. Great tongues of flame which would consume a little planet like ours at a mouthful continually leap from it with speeds of several hundred miles a second. This enormous explosive force is restrained only by the greater force of the sun's gravity. But if an approaching star as great as the sun came within striking distance of it then along the line joining the two bodies, each would begin to pull the other, as today the moon pulls up the earth's oceans.

The mighty pull of the invading star would neutralize the sun's gravity in one direction, and the sun would, in a sense, explode. Out from our ancestral sun and from opposite sides of it would fly two great lengthening arms of matter, reaching far beyond the farthest planet. As the star passed, its moving mass would give a further twist to the sun and would pull the arms of matter into the shape of a great double spiral. Form and motion would thus be imparted to the nebula thus created, and from the solar system thus extinguished in catastrophe a new sun with planets condensing from the lumps and inequalities in the projecting arms, would arise.

Personal Pride.

"Sleepy Si—I see dis paper says an Englishman's home is his castle. What's de matter wid yo' home? It looks just like de Englishman's. What's you sittin' about some fo'?"—Yonkers Statesman.

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Old Mark "Banknotes."

Speaking of the curious Marx banking lore of the past, the Liverpool Post says that a singular state of affairs was exhibited in "the island" at the close of the Napoleonic wars. Trade was brisk, money was more freely adventured, and all sorts of private persons began to issue notes. There was no occasion whatever to have sterling against them. All you had to do was to get some one to take them and pass them on. The fashion grew till even the humbler traders issued card "promises to pay," the values most in circulation being 5 shillings, a shilling and even sixpence. Once an advocate from Castletown went to Peel to collect a judgment of £350 from the coroner of Glenfaba. This worthy paid him 2,704 card notes, many of them worthless. They took several hours to examine and count, and their transport was an item of extreme difficulty. Finally they were put into a big sack, half shaken to one end and half to the other, and the whole slung over the back of a horse. The father of the horse, soaking through, spoiled nearly half the cards!

The Word "Person."

General Benjamin F. Butler, it is said, once asserted that a woman was not a "person," and a London suffragette insists that the word "person" in its legal sense includes woman. The word has had an interesting history. Signifying by etymology something to make a sound through, the Latin "persona" began by meaning an actor's mask with its mouthpiece. Then it meant the character represented by the player—"dramatis personae." Then it came to mean the part or character one sustains in real life, and so the "persona ecclesiae," the man who represented the church, became known as a "person" in a special sense and was eventually spelled as "parson." On the other hand, "person" faded away to mean just anybody. And so, though a woman naturally resents being referred to as a "person" in ordinary talk, many women no less naturally desire to count as "persons" in the eye of the franchise law.—Chicago News.

Not Since the Flood.

Sir Henry Irving once received what he at the time considered a very palpable snub, delivered him by a highlander. While touring in Scotland the actor visited some of the notable traditionary scenes associated with Shakespearean drama. As a matter of course one of the first pilgrimages was to the blasted heath where Macbeth met the witches. In an agreeable mood Sir Henry as they drove along turned smilingly to his driver.

"Are there any witches about now?" he asked.

The driver whipped up his horses.

"Not since the flood," he replied in his curt Scots way.

Table Mountain.

At Capetown, in South Africa, where the traveler usually has the first glimpse of the continent, is Table mountain, a magnificent natural curiosity which rises behind the city to the height of almost 4,000 feet and has a level top about three square miles in area. Its resemblance to a huge table is so marked that the dense clouds which collect at times around the summit are referred to as the tablecloth. A pretty little flower which is found nowhere else on earth grows on top, while on the northern side of its base is a similarly rare tree, popularly called the silver leaf tree.

The Distinguished Guest.

Captain Raabe was a man whose name had weight in the French cavalry. He was a tall man, belonging to the middle aged trooper type. With military qualities of the highest kind, he had a singular bearing, a savage sort of misanthropy and a cynical tongue, which stood in the way of promotion. When he was in the Sixth lancers, on garrison duty at Commercy, one of his comrades brought his father to dine with him at the officers' mess, a man of humble position and unpretentiously dressed. Captain Raabe, considering that this guest had not been fitly received, gave expression to his opinion, saying that if the executioner of Commercy had come in evening dress he would have had a better reception. The officers demurring, he made no rejoinder, but shortly afterward came to mess with a guest whose dress was irreproachable. Every one lavished attentions on the unknown. When dinner was over Captain Raabe, raising his glass, proposed the health of "the executioner of Commercy."

The Slow One.

"Would you," he said after they had been sitting in the dark for a long time, "be angry with me if I were to kiss you?"

She was silent for a moment. Then in tones the meaning of which was not to be mistaken she replied:

"Why do you suppose I turned down the light an hour and a half ago?"

And yet he wondered, poor fool, how other young men who had started far in the rear were able to pass him in the race of life.

A Chronic Grumbler.

Charles Lamb tells of a chronic grumbler who always complained at whist because he had so few trumps. By some artifice his companions managed to fix the cards so that when he dealt he got the whole thirteen, hoping to extort some expression of satisfaction, but he only looked more wretched than ever as he examined his hand.

"Well, Tom," said Lamb, "haven't you trumps enough this time?"

"Yes," grunted Tom, "but I've no other cards."

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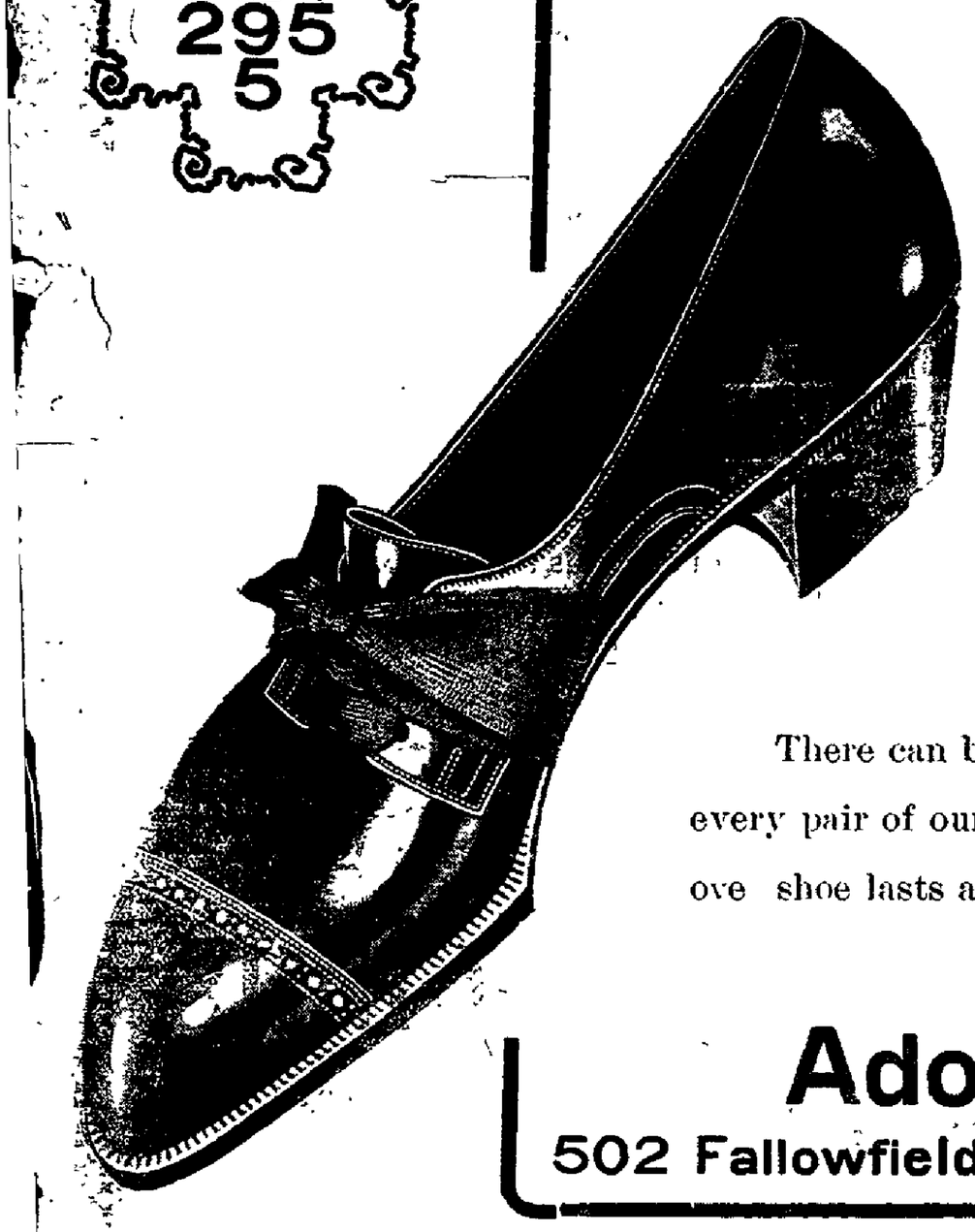

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The management has secured one of the funniest acts in vaudeville as an extra feature and they are coming direct from the big time, the act in question being none other than Crawford and Meeker, with a large collection of brand new jokes.

Another act deserving special mention is Signor De Angelo, late of the Metropolitan Opera House, New York City. The Signor will sing selections in Italian from the classical operas.

The other acts will keep up the same high standard of quality as heretofore mentioned.

Tomorrow afternoon the management will give a free matinee to out of town folks beginning at 2 o'clock, after which they will give another performance at regular matinee prices.

The body of George L. Hill, who died at Canonsburg, was brought to Charleroi this morning, and interment took place in Crowe's cemetery.

Mrs. S. A. Walton, daughter Lomas and son John have gone to Rices Landing, where they will visit briefly before going to Bucks county to make their future residence.

Ormsby A. C. Make Collegions Go Some

The Colonial Basketball team defeated the Ormsby A. C. last night by the score of 23 to 20, in one of the best and fastest games of the season at the local rink The score:

Colonials—23.		Ormsby A. C.—20.
T. Mangan	F.	Righte
F. Mangan	F.	Clarke
Wilson	C.	Wilkinson
Oller	G.	Harkins
L. Riggs	G.	Richards

Field goals—T. Mangan 1, F. Mangan 3, Wilson 6, Riggs 1, Righte 3 Clark 1, Wilkinson 1, Richards 1. Goals from fouls—Riggs 1, Righte 8. Referee—Wagner. Scorer—Richey.

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No. 62 CHI NAMEL.

Notice.

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Lady Maccabees Euchre.

The Lady Maccabees will hold a euchre at P. H. C. hall on Thursday evening March 31. Handsome favors will be awarded. Play begins promptly at 8 o'clock. Admission 35 cents A general invitation is extentded t. all. 187- o

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors and the Green Bottle Blowers Association of Charleroi for the many kindnesses extended us during the sickness and death of our son Fred Paul. All the kindly offices were duly appreciated and remembered with gratitude.

190t1p Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Paul.

The Palace—Charleroi.

"A Sardine Sandwich" was the title of a most interesting and instructive life motion picture film that was presented at the Palace Theatre this week. The pictures showed the sardine industry, how the fish were caught in weirs, dumped into schooner holds, and brought to the canning factories. At the latter place an army of girls cut the heads off the fishes, while in another department they were spread on wire gridirons and backed, much as bottles are tempered in lehrs at the Imperial Bottle factory in Charleroi. Then girls packed the sardines into the round cornered tin boxes so familiar to the retail trade faster than one could say "Jack Robinson." Filling the boxes with boiling oil the latter were automatically sealed by a machine that did the business as fast as the boxes could be fed into it. That done, they were packed and shipped to market, where they become the delectable tidbit so well known to every one.

New pictures will be on hand for Friday, the Anniversary celebration, and the orchestral concerts will constitute a part of the pleasure of the day.

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FOR SALE—Six room house with all modern improvements, 504 Meadow avenue, second lot from corner of Fifth street. Having concluded to move south I will sell at a bargain and on reasonable terms. John Shanton.

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WANTED—at once, experienced wiremen, call or write. W. H. Helmey, Uniontown, Pa. 188t6

LOST—Sunday evening, lady's gold watch, either in Monessen or on Monessen-Charleroi street car. Inscription on inside case. Finder return to 248 Mail office and receive reward. 188t3

FOR SALE—Mule. Inquire of W. H. Calvert. 190t2p

Charter Notice.

In the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Washington.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the said Court on Monday the 25th. day of April A. D. 1910, under the provisions of the Act of Gen. Assembly of Pennsylvania approved the 29th. day of April A. D. 1874 and entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" and the supplements thereto, for an intended corporation of the first class to be called "The St. James A. M. E. Church of Charleroi, Washington. County Pa." the character and object of which is the support of Public Worship according to the doctrine and subject to the discipline, usages and ministeral appointment of the "AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH," and for said purposes to have and possess and enjoy all the rights, privilages and benefits provided for such corporations by the above mentioned Act of Assembly, supplements and amendments. The proposed Charter for the intended corporation is now on file at No 191 Equity in the office of the Prothonotary of the above named County.

Mch 29, 1910 W. N. Butler.

Mch. 31 Apr. 7-14 Solicitor.

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LOCAL MENTION

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Frank Bly, the well known local contractor, who was injured by a fall, while employed at the Monier building on Fallowfield avenue, is able to be about again.

T. Cosgrave, who has charge of the office of the Washington Record in Monongahela, was a caller in Charleroi yesterday on business, and to visit friends.

Mrs. S. W. Sharpnack is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Wesley Henry is a visitor in Donora, today the guest of friends.

H. C. Cortwright has returned from a several day's trip to New York city, Philadelphia, and other Eastern places, where he visited friends.

J. H. Moore of Wheeling, W. Va., is here for a few day's business visit.

V. C. Hepler is removing his family to Tarentum, where he will be employed.

Miss Nannetta A. Shannon, has returned from Lock Haven, where she attended the Lock Haven Normal school.

Mrs. Nathan Greenberg went to Philadelphia yesterday for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Joseph Lichter and children left yesterday for Baltimore, Md., where they will attend the wedding of the former's sister, Miss Tressa Wolfson, who for several days was a guest here of relatives.

H. R Campbell, chief clerk in the county commissioners office, was in town from Washington over last night.

Benjamin Zimmers has moved his family from Charleroi to Monessen, where he is employed on the police force.

Mrs. Elizabeth McDonough went to Caliofrnia this morning for a visit with friends.

The funeral of Thomas McGuire who died Wednesday morning will be held from St. Jerome's Catholic church Friday morning at 9 o'clock, with requiem high mass. Interment in Calvary cemetery.

Mrs. Charles Riggs and daughters, Misses Mary and Virginia of Fairmont, W. Va, are here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Riggs and Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Reeves of Fallowfield avenue.

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PARADE WILL BE LED BY POLICE ON HORSEBACK

Aids for Big Parade To Be Held Tomorrow Morning Chosen.

MANY AUTOISTS COMING

Word Received From Owners In Neighboring Towns That They Will Bring Machines.

With Chief of Police C. W. Albright and his force in the lead, a mounted cavalcade with prancing steeds will head the big parade in the Anniversary celebration here tomorrow. Behind the mounted police will be the chief marshal and his aids. The chief is J. J. Hott, with John Majors for assistant. The corps of aids is composed of the following: Capt. J. K. Hein, R. H. Rush, Dr. D. E. Kimmell, S. K. Leonard, Louis Greenberg, H. A. McDermott, BurtStroud Eli Hannen, Harry Worthington, I. N. Frye, W. E. Potter, M. Wells, C. W. Weltner, Ralph Chester, C. C. Holyfield, Harris Hannen, Roy Allen, Frank Nelson, Noah Roley, T. J. McDermott and F. W. Jones.

Chief Marshal Hott requests all aids to report at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning at First street and McKean avenue, mounted on horses and wearing a red, white and blue sash. Mr. Hott stated last night that everybody was invited to turn out in the parade, on horseback, in carriages, automobile, delivery wagons or on bicycles, and good places would be assigned to them, particularly those riding or driving ponies. All horsemen from the country are requested to report to Assistant Marshal John Majors for a place in the line of march.

Mr. Hott has received word from Monessen, Monongahela, Belle Vernon and other places that from 20 to 30 automobiles from those towns will be on hand to take part in the parade. These, with the large number of cars in Charleroi, will make the most imposing parade of the kind ever shown in Charleroi. Mr. Hott requests the burgess and town council to assemble at the borough building not later than 9 o'clock, as he has made arrangements for them to ride in the auto parade.

In addition to the John A. Wood Band, the Naomi Band and the Marianna Fife and Drum Corps have been secured to furnish music. The John A. Wood Band has been engaged for the day, and band concerts will be a feature. Each of the bands will bring large delegations from their respective towns.

Capt. Harry Landefeld of the Monongahela Cadets, has sent word that he will have 40 men in line for the competitive drill here in the evening with the Charleroi Boys Brigade and the Monessen Cadets. Capt. Newcomer of the latter organization expects to have a full corps in the drill.

The Eureka Garage of Monongahela has entered a car for the hill climbing contest. It may be a matter of interest for the public to know that the paving which will connect Charleroi with North Charleroi will be finished today, so that paved streets are now continuous between Charleroi and Monessen. Everything has been arranged for the big demonstration, and a fair day will bring perhaps the largest crowd that ever assembled in Charleroi.

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Purdes, a Victim of Train, Not Murdered

The coroner's jury investigating the death of Staina Purdes, whose mangled body was found on the railroad tracks near Bentleyville on Monday morning, yesterady learned from a number of witnesses that he was not murdered as thought, but had been killed by a train, and returned a verdict to that effect. George Reese, who had been arrested as a suspect, was released upon order of Coroner Heffran.

LOCAL MEN AFFECTED

The six per cent. raise declared for all employes getting under $300 per month by the Pennsylvania railroad, is effective on the Monongahela Division, as well as the other branches. There are a large number of employes on the division, and the increase will be greatly welcomed.

The advance was ordered by the directors and is the third general voluntary increase in wages by the Pennsylvania in eight years. It will involve an addition of about $10,000,000 to the payroll of the various companies of the system. In December, 1902, an increase of 100 per cent was given all workmen receiving less than $200 a month, and in 1906 another increase of 10 per cent was granted which, with the present advance of six per cent. makes a total of 28.26 per cent over the rates paid in 1902. This, with the increase due to promotions and other avdances, makes the total increase about 33 per cent since 1902, or an increase of about one-third in eight years.

In an official statement the company points out that the cost of living has greatly increased since the fall of 1908 although it is not considered much higher than in 1906. It also points out that railroad expenses have increased, some supplies costing 6 and 7 per cent more than in 1902. The present increase begins with April.

Snakes Making Their Appearance Earlier

Mrs. Ella Hazelbaker, Long Branch, reports the first snake story of the season. Last week she killed two on her farm, both evidently garter snake. The snakes are making their appearance earlier this year than for many prveious seasons, it is stated.

Notice

At a joint meeting of the arrangement committee for the Labor Day celebration and a committee from the Retail Clerks Union it was decided to leave the early closing of the stores optional with the merchants as to whether he shall close his store on Friday evening, April 1, at 6 p. m. as agreed upon or not This does in no way change the early closing movement which will be on Monday evening, April 4, as per agreement.

The above action was brought about by the Big Demonstration which will take place here on Friday, April 1.

Frank Taylor,
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MINERS WILL GO OUT AT MIDNIGHT BUT SHORT STRIKE IS PREDICTED

President T. L. Lewis Thinks There Will Be An Early Adjustment of Wages In Mine Dispute.

MATTER IS NOW REALLY UP TO VARIOUS DISTRICTS

Tonight at midnight all operations in the mines throughout this district will be suspended, owing to a failure of the operators and miners to come to any agreement at the wage conference at Cincinnati. The suspension takes place at midnight in order to permit the miners to celebrate the anniversary of the eight-hour day tomorrow, April 1. After that the miners will not return to work until an understanding is reached in regard to the wage scale, and an advance is granted which must now be settled by districts, subject to a national agreement.

Although all the miner will virtually be on strike, the suspension is not expected to be of long duration. It is predicted that a couple of weeks at the most will witness the end of the supsension. As on previous occasons, when a wage scale was to be settled, and both sides had disagreed, the matter was eventually settled by districts. It is stated that some of the districts in some of the States have signified a willingness to grant the advance asked, and that some of the operators in other districts are willing to comply with the demand. That being the case, it is considered only a matter of time for the others to come to an amicable agreement.

In the Pittsburg district the powder question is still a bone of contention. The use of the new safety explosives, the miners claim, increased the cost of mining, and decreases their wages. No conclusion has been reached on this matter yet District President Francis Feehan has called a joint conference with the Pittsburg operators for the purpose of trying to come to an agreement, and it is expected that this will not be a difficult matter. National President Tom Lewis states that the strike will last only a few days, and that the miners generally will be granted an advance on a five-cent basis.

LOST CHILD ENJOYS RIDE WHILE SEARCH IS MADE FOR PARENTS

Chief of Police C. W. Albright and Patrolman Gerge McEldowney tested the efficiency of an improvised automobile patrol yesterday aftrenoon, when they started out to return a lost child to its parents. The child was found wandering along Fallowfield avenue near Fifth street, about 3 o'clock apparently not greatly frightened, but feeling very much lost. It was about two years old, and like some bankers refused to talk. Chief of Police Albright, Officer McEldowney, Health Officer Darby, and a lot of others stood around for quite a while studying the problem of how to locate the child's parents, when it was solved by a stranger driving along in a Ford automobile. The car was drafted into service by the chief, who with the child in his arms, started out with the chauffer to cover the town.

After an investigation at the upper end of town a trip was taken down street, and at the corner of Eighth street and Fallowfield avenue a claimant was found for the waif. It was the son of John Corrigon. The youngster had apparently much enjoyed his ride in the automobile, and looked rather wistfully at the receding machine when it pulled away.

W. & J. Track Team Has Some Stars

Capt. Harvey Chalfant, of the Washington and Jefferson College track team, stopped off in Charleroi yesterday a short time, on his way home from college, for the week's vacation. Stopping at the Mail office a short time, he stated that this year's track team would much surpass last year's, and said affairs were pretty even between W. and J. and the University of Pittsburg, the down river bunch having improved likewise. W. and J. would not put any entrants into the Fort Pitt A. C. meet, he said, but would save them until later.

Public Sale.

Saturday, April 2, at the home of Jennis Newman, 1013, Linclon Avenue will be offered for sale the following house goods: Beds, bedding, chiffoniers, dressers, stands, sideboards, sewing machine, washing machine, refrigerator, tables, chairs, rockers, heating stoves, large range, carpets, matting, linoleum, dishes, pictures, cooking utensils, etc. Jacob Aamlong, auctioneer. 18t4p

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WILL TAKE PARTY OF TURISTS INTO THE LONE STAR STATE

E. C. McNeal, an eastern agent for the Concho Land company, of Carlsbad and San Angelo, Texas, is here for several days securing a party of tourists to make a trip to Texas, where the company has a ranch of 60,000 acres for sale. Mr. McNeal is the guest of his brother-in-law, Harvey Parsons.

A special Pullman will be chartered for the trip, or if there are enough in the party, a special train. Already several have signified their intention of taking the trip with Mr. McNeal.

The ranch to be sold is the Bailey M. Collins ranch, on the Santa Fe railroad. It is located in Tom Green county, 60 miles west of the geographical center of the State, in the North Concho river valley. It is the intention to divide the ranch up into a number of farms, of from 40 to 240 or 250 acres.

Farms in this part of Texas, which formerly sold for $5.00 and $6.00 per acre, are now selling for $20 an acre within six or seven miles of a town, gradually decreasing in value, as the distance from a city or town increases. Mr. McNeal expects to be here until some time next week, and will recruit the entire party from this immediate neighborhood, if possible. The Texas trip will be taken in about three weeks.

Vacancies Filled By Sunday School Board

At a meeting of the Sunday school board of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school last night, the resignations of Joseph Kenyon, as superintendent of the Sunday School and of C. C. Crill as assistant superintendent, were read and accepted W. S. James was elected to take Mr. Kenyon's place as superintendent, and W. D. Pollock was chosen as his assistant.

Mr. Kenyon expects to leave about the middle of April for Los Angeles, California, to accept a high position with the Frankfort Marine Plate Glass and Accident company. Mr. Crill will go on the road for a Jeannette firm in a few days.

As next Sunday will be their last in office, Mr. Kenyon and Mr. Crill, have specially requested that all who have ever been connected with the Sunday school be present. Mr. Kenyon was for 3 1-2 years superintendent of the Sunday School. Mr. Crill has served in various offices of the Sunday school and church.

Will Meet For Drill

The Charleroi Boys' Brigade, under Capt. R. Dale Jolliffe, will meet tonight at 7 o'clock sharp, at the lawn tennis grounds to prepare for the Friday's competitive drill with Monessen and Monongahela Cadets. The brigade has been practicing on extended order lately.

KENNEDY GETS RATHER A COOL RECEPTION AT DONORA

Entertainments For Next Year the Topic

The guarantors of the Citizens Entertainment course, which had charge of the affair here the past season and all interested in a course for next year will hold a meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at the Borough Building, when arrangements will be made for covering the deficit, and to discuss plans for next year. It is proposed to if possible have another good course next year.

MANY PEOPLE LEAVE TOWN

Charleroi is losing several good families this spring through an unprecedented exodus to other parts of the country.

Last week James Graham and family, Frank Davidson and family, H. M. Stokes and family and George Armstrong went to Atlantic City, to locate. S. A. Walton and family and John Dunham and family are going east to Buck's county, and Joseph Kenyon, William Kenyon, and Joseph Godissart and their families are going to California.

All three of the latter named families will locate in Los Angeles, although Joseph Kenyon, who has been appointed to the position of manager of the accident department for ten Pacific States for the Frankfort Marine Plate Glass and Accident Insurance company of Frankfort on the Main, Germany, will have his offices in San Francisco. William Kenyon will have charge of the Los Angeles office of the same company. Mr. Godissart will in all probability enter the real estate business.

Joseph Kenyon has a third interest in the Pierce, Woodward and Kenyon insurance office at Monessen, but will retire before he leaves this section. William Kenyon has been actively connected with the insurance business in this place for some time. A reception will be given for them by members of the Methodist Episcopal church on Monday evening.

Mr. Godissart was until recently in the shoe business in Charlreoi, and was connected with the People's Real Estate Agency.

Your wife and children like brick cream, so drop into Wagner's and take a brick home. 190tl

McCleary Gets Raise

By order of the court, which was concurred in by both Judges McIlvaine and Taylor, the salary of County Detective Wm. McCleary has been increased from $75 a month to $100 a month. Detective McCleary has been particularly active during the past year in raiding speakeasies rounding up beer agents, and making informations against offenders in all parts of the county, and the increase is justified.

Everybody Decorate.

Burgess Risbeck requests the merchants and business people to decorate their stores and places of business tomorrow if the day is fair. This will add greatly to the appearance of the town and be more in keeping with the spirit of the occasion.

Ice Cream in bricks is a nice way to serve Ice Cream. You can get them at Wagner's any time. 190tl

Opens Campaign at Down River Town at Public Meeting.

TRY TO "KNOCK" TENER

Speakers Accompanying Congressional Aspirant Fail to Accomplish Results.

Accompanied by a small party of spellbinders from his own town and county, T. L. Kennedy of New Brighton, who aspires to succeed Congressman John K. Tener as the Republican nominee for Congress for this district, opened his campaign with a public meeting at Donora last night. It was held in the Grand Theatre, and was quite largely attended. The greater part of the audience, however, was composed of Congressman Tener's friends, who were present chiefly through curiosity to hear what "the other fellow" had to say.

The meeting was called to order by J. B. McCune of Donora, who introduced Mr. Kennedy. The latter pleaded his inability to make an address on account of a sore throat, and after a few remarks relative to his candidacy retired. He was succeeded in turn by Attorneys Lawrence M. Sebring and John F. Elliott, both members of the Beaver county bar, and D. F. Twiford, deputy register recorder of Beaver county. These speakers tried to "knock" Mr. Tener in various ways, but at the mention of the Congressman's name, it was hard to suppress the enthusiasm for the Charleroi Representative that was everywhere apparent.

From the reception it was clearly evident that Mr. Kennedy has not succeeded in driving any "entrance wedges" into Congressman Tener's stronghold. The former has a cold and distant manner, and is not at all cordial in his relations. He expects to make a tour of the river district before he returns home.

Man Buried Alive 8 Days Will Lecture

Manager R. L. Barnhart has secured a big feature for the Palace Theatre tonight. This is the original pictures of the burning and wrecked mine at Cherry Valley, Illinois, where one of the most disastrous explosions in this country occurred a short time ago. In connection with the picture will be a lecture by one of the survivors. This is Q. Antenoie, who, dressed in the clothes he wore in the mine, tells of the horrors of being buried alive for eight days. This feature only appears tonight, and is in addition to the regular program which includes a Biograph dramatic success, "The Love of Lady Irma," and a Edison thrilling melodrama, "A Mountain Blizzard." Orchestra concerts and illustrated songs round out a strong program.

Meeting Night Changed

Owing to the impossibility of two members of the school board to be present next Thursday evening the regular meeting will be held Friday evening of this week, at the borough building. The two who find it impossible to be present are D. H. Glunt and George Gunderman.

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JOHN K. TENER

OF CHARLEROI

Subject to the Decision of the Republican Voters of the Twenty-Fourth District at the Primaries June 4

Settlement in Sight.

Although the operators and coal miners of this district have failed to come to an agreement concerning the wage scale for the ensuing year before the first of April, and a suspension has been called, there is yet good reasons to expect that the differences will be speedily settled, and that a long drawn out strike will be avoided. Two years ago, it will be remembered, there was a month's suspension in this district before the wage controversy was settled. Now, the mine officials predict, the suspension is not likely to be more than of two week's duration.

After a failure to come to an agreement in national conference, the committees have adjourned with a virtual agreement to settle the matter by districts. These settlements, of course, must be subject to some general condition and regulations adopted at the national conference. As different conditions prevail in different districts, and the mining scale varies widely in different fields and according to different methods of mining, local conditions to a considerable extent must govern the term of settlement. These, however, most all be made on basis of at least a five-cent increase. As general conditions seem to warrant this increase, there is every reason to believe that it will be granted sooner or later, and that all the mines will soon be at work again.

Unemployed Labor.

Notwithstanding the general advance in material prosperity and the resumption of industrial institutions during the past year, there is still a big army of unemployed labor throughout the country. This is evidenced by the action of the Pittsburg city councils voting to start the proposed municipal improvements, which have been planned on an extenisve scale, as soon as possible in ordre to furnish work for the unemployed of the city, which is badly needed. Another evidence is the number of strikes that have been lost by other workmen taking the places of the strikers. The results of these labor contests signify that the same number of workmen were idle before as after the strike. They have simply exchanged places. So long as a vast army of unemployed is to be found in the congested centers, organized labor will continue to find it a hard matter to get and maintain an increase in wages.

Formerly, when there was free Government land easy of access, men who felt the pinch in the labor market sought the land and became producers. That made cheap living for all. Now, with the available land all taken, and the labor market being glutted by immigration, the army of unemployed is steadily increasing. About the only solution of this problem is to get the unemployed back to the abandoned farms and unproductive lands. That is the only way to reduce the cost of living and to furnish work for the unemployed.

How it Was Done.

To the query, "How is it possible for any of the Pittsburg banks to pay large sums of money for the purpose of bribing city councilmen to make the bank a depository for city funds without the directors knowing it?" a man well versed in financial affairs says the matter is perfectly easy. As is well known, banks are first approached for contributions for every conceivable project and leg-pulling device that can be devised, and as a matter of business policy it is not always discreet to turn everything down. To meet these demands the cashier is usually given a certain latitude, and a fund is appropriated annually for this purpose. It may be charged up as advertising expenses, or for business promotion, and the directors never know, and perhaps do not care to know, just how the money was spent, although they voted to make the appropriation.

As the business of a bank increases, these donations and expenditures for business promotions increase, until the fund annually appropriated for the purpose may reach large proportions. So long as the expenditure of the fund shows results, the directors never need to quesiton the expediency of its use. It may be employed in a perfectly legitimate manner, or it may be used dishonestly; the directors usually have no knowledge of any of the latter transactions if such are employed. So long as the sums expended approximate the annual demands, they would have no cause for suspicion. This policy of not questioning the expenditure of certain funds appropriated for a specific purpose may not be altogether a safe one, but it seems to have been practiced to a considerable extent

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The first snake story has come in. It's about time for others to follow.

Snow has fallen heavily in some western States during the past few days. Does that mean that we have to have some more winter?

As usual Col. Roosevelt is stirring things up, this time in Egypt. The conservative English are afraid he said too many good things.

Every time the President of France causss comment upon any subject his picture is printed in the papers, and he is written up in great style. If comment was all an American President caused, we would think there was something seriously wrong

Let's see. Is it April 15, or May 1, or May 15 that we are allowed to put on our straw lids? So important a topic should be taken up at once.

He who conceals a useful truth is equally guilty with the propagator of an injurious falsehood.—Augustine. Some fellows could never be accused of the aforesaid crime, for they never concealed anything.

New York women want to don the bifurcated garments of the sterner sex. The next move will be to have the men compelled to wear dresses.

The price of Boston beans has gone up. The tale of Jack and the Bean stalk isn't in it now.

The New York World says that Republicans want Roosevelt to run for the offices. Nope. Not the one we are holding down.

A folding horse that would fit under the seat of an automobile for use in emergencies, would be about the most welcome invention of today.

On sheep belonging to an Oregon man crops of grass are being raised. Why don't they wash the wool of those poor lambs occasionally.

If college glee clubs come very often, there's going to be a mighty lot of unhappiness manifest in this town. All the girls will go back on their steadies.

The Alvin—Pittsburg.

What will likely prove to be the most protentious production made by any American theatrical manager in recent theatrical history will be that of "Dick Whittington," "musical comedy extravaganza," which the Shuberts will present at the Alvin theatre the week of April 4th. "Dick Whittington" as every school boy knows, is an old story, full of romance and so fanciful that nowadays it could hardly hold water except as a book of musical comedy.

Last season at the Drury Lane Theatre, London, "Dick Whittington" was produced on an elaborate scale as the annual pantomime at this national theatre. The play, however, has been considerably revised for America. From a comic point of view, "Dick Whittington" can rightly be looked upon as a marvel of stage craft. There are three acts of three scenes each, one scene representing a transformation which shows over nine complete changes of scenery.

The Shuberts are particularly proud of the cast which they have selected for the production of this offering. Among the principals are Frank Byron, Jesse Dandy, James Diamond, Henry Clarice, Alfred Grady, Edwin Le Mar, Norma Brown, Dorothy Webb, Irene Dillon, Mlle. Rayo, Edna Bates, Louise Carver, Louise Langdon and many others of equal fame and prominence.

Matinees will be given on Wednesday and Saturday, the former at popular prices. There will be no advance in the regular scale of Alvin prices during the engagement of "Dick Whittington" at that popular play house. Seats ready Thursday. Mail orders received now will be filled when accompanied by check or money order.

The Grand—Pittsburg.

The Grand Opera House, Pittsburg, presents for the week beginning Monday afternoon, April 4, a program of high class vaudeville in which a number of foreign feature acts will be exploited.

Direct from the New York Hippodrome, where its first American engagements are now being concluded, Thalero's Novelty Circus will come. Mlle. Thalero, the captivating directress of Thalero's Circus, enjoys the reputation of being the best animal trainer in Europe and her little family of dogs and ponies, educated to the highest degree of annual intelligence, belief her reputation. There is one part of the act which always calls for wild applause. While the ponies are galloping around the ring at full speed, each ridden by a canine equestrian, the dogs turn back somersaults from one horse to the other exchanging mounts simultaneously.

Still another foreign attraction will be that of Les Trombettas, original duetists from the Follies Bergere, Paris. This grotesque comedian, aided by a sprightly and lean soubrette, will sing character comedy songs with imitations.

Miss Beatrice Ingram, a legitimate actress of sterling qualities, will present a dramalet entitled "The Duchess." She will be supported by a company of capable players and her impersonations are said to be a virile stage characterization and the playlet tells a stirring story of human interest and romance with the tender passion dominating its action.

"The wakening of the Toys" will be given by DeWitt, Burgess andTorrence. The trio with particularly clever pantomime, songs and dances, have always met the favor of theatrical patrons. "The Awakening of the Toys" is pantomime etxravaganza in tabloid.

Barry Wolford will offer a new singing comedy. Half a dozen other brilliant attractions and new moving pictures comprise the Grand's offering.

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Meeting Called.

A meeting of St. Jerome's Catholic church league team will be held at the undertaking rooms of Correll and Crowley, on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

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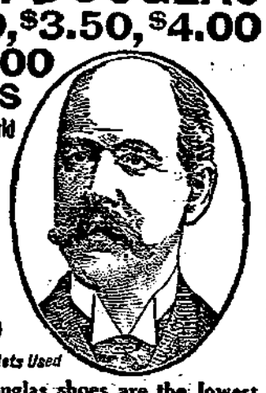

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2 yards 10c calico and prints	15c
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½ lb vanilla wafers	15c
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"For heaven's sake, be careful with that rifle, man!" exclaimed a musketry instructor. "You just missed me that time."

"Did I, sergeant? I'm awfully sorry!" responded the indifferent marksman.—London Fun.

THE CRUSH OF WORLDS.

What Would Happen if a Dead Sun Invaded Our Solar System.

It is possible, though it is not proved, that stars may sometimes approach one another and even "leap madly from their spheres." "What would happen were an unknown star or a dead sun to invade our solar system?" asks a writer in the London Illustrated News, who answers his query in two ways. In the first place, the star might rush straight into the sun and by the heat of the collision reduce the sun and all its planets to a nebulous mass without form or structure. But it is more mathematically probable that just as comets approach, circle and recede from the sun, so the starry invader of our system would approach our system and recede from it, having altered it beyond recognition.

But what would be its effect upon our sun? The sun as we know it today is explosively elastic. Great tongues of flame which would consume a little planet like ours at a mouthful continually leap from it with speeds of several hundred miles a second. This enormous explosive force is restrained only by the greater force of the sun's gravity. But if an approaching star as great as the sun came within striking distance of it then along the line joining the two bodies, each would begin to pull the other, as today the moon pulls up the earth's oceans.

The mighty pull of the invading star would neutralize the sun's gravity in one direction, and the sun would, in a sense, explode. Out from our ancestral sun and from opposite sides of it would fly two great lengthening arms of matter, reaching far beyond the farthest planet. As the star passed, its moving mass would give a further twist to the sun and would pull the arms of matter into the shape of a great double spiral. Form and motion would thus be imparted to the nebula thus created, and from the solar system thus extinguished in catastrophe a new sun with planets condensing from the lumps and inequalities in the projecting arms, would arise.

Personal Price.

"Sleepy Sim, I see dis paper says dey land a lot o' new Yorkers at Ellis Island every day. What's Washington Irv'n's just like de English, 'fore he goin' about some little Yonkers statesman."

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Old Marx "Banknotes."

Speaking of the curious Marx banking lore of the past, the Liverpool Post says that a singular state of affairs was exhibited in "the Island" at the close of the Napoleonic wars. Trade was brisk, money was more freely adventured, and all sorts of private persons began to issue notes. There was no occasion whatever to have sterling against them. All you had to do was to get some one to take them and pass them on. The fashion grew till even the humbler traders issued card "promises to pay," the values most in circulation being 5 shillings, a shilling and even sixpence. Once an advocate from Castletown went to Peel to collect a judgment of £350 from the coroner of Glenfaba. This worthy paid him 2,704 card notes, many of them worthless. They took several hours to examine and count, and their transport was an item of extreme difficulty. Finally they were put into a big sack, half shaken to one end and half to the other, and the whole slung over the back of a horse. The lather of the horse, soaking through, spoiled nearly half the cards!

The Word "Person."

General Benjamin F. Butler, it is said, once asserted that a woman was not a "person," and a London suffragette insists that the word "person" [illegible] The word has had an interesting history. Signifying by etymology something to make a sound through, the Latin "persona" began by meaning an actor's mask with its mouthpiece. Then it meant the character represented by the player—"dramatis personae." Then it came to mean the part or character one sustains in real life, and so the "persona ecclesiae," the man who represented the church, became known as a "person" in a special sense and was eventually spelled as "parson." On the other hand, "person" faded away to mean just anybody. And so, though a woman naturally resents being referred to as a "person" in ordinary talk, many women no less naturally desire to count as "persons" in the eye of the franchise law.—Chicago News.

Not Since the Flood.

Sir Henry Irving once received what he at the time considered a very palpable snub, delivered him by a highlander. While touring in Scotland the actor visited some of the notable traditionary scenes associated with Shakespearean drama. As a matter of course one of the first pilgrimages was to the blasted heath where Macbeth met the witches. In an agreeable mood Sir Henry as they drove along turned smilingly to his driver.

"Are there any witches about now?" he asked.

The driver whipped up his horses.

"Not since the flood," he replied in his curt Scots way.

Table Mountain.

At Capetown, in South Africa, where the traveler usually has the first glimpse of the continent, is Table mountain, a magnificent natural curiosity which rises behind the city to the height of almost 4,000 feet and has a level top about three square miles in area. Its resemblance to a huge table is so marked that the dense clouds which collect at times around the summit are referred to as the tablecloth. A pretty little flower which is found nowhere else on earth grows on top, while on the northern side of its base is a similarly rare tree, popularly called the silver leaf tree.

The Distinguished Guest.

Captain Raabe was a man whose name had weight in the French cavalry. He was a tall man, belonging to the middle aged trooper type. With military qualities of the highest kind, he had a singular bearing, a savage sort of misanthropy and a cynical tongue, which stood in the way of promotion. When he was in the Sixth lancers, on garrison duty at Commercy, one of his comrades brought his father to dine with him at the officers' mess, a man of humble position and unpretentiously dressed. Captain Raabe, considering that this guest had not been fitly received, gave expression to his opinion, saying that if the executioner of Commercy had come in evening dress he would have had a better reception. The officers demurring, he made no rejoinder, but shortly afterward came to mess with a guest whose dress was irreproachable. Every one lavished attentions on the unknown. When dinner was over Captain Raabe, raising his glass, proposed the health of "the executioner of Commercy."

The Slow One.

"Would you," he said after they had been sitting in the dark for a long time, "be angry with me if I were to kiss you?"

She was silent for a moment. Then in tones the meaning of which was not to be mistaken she replied:

"Why do you suppose I turned down the light an hour and a half ago?"

And yet he wondered, poor fool, how other young men who had started far in the rear were able to pass him in the race of life.

A Chronic Grumbler.

Charles Lamb tells of a chronic grumbler who always complained at whist because he had so few trumps. By some artifice his companions managed to fix the cards so that when he dealt he got the whole thirteen, hoping to extort some expression of satisfaction, but he only looked more wretched than ever as he examined his hand.

"Well, Tom," said Lamb, "haven't you trumps enough this time?"

"Yes," grunted Tom, "but I've no other cards."

Children! Children!! My! what a noise!

But it's not the children—it's your head

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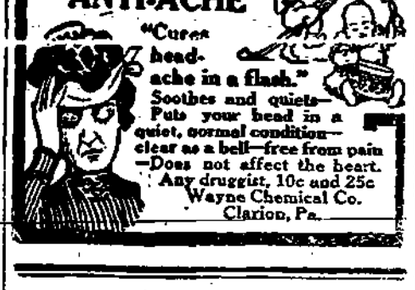

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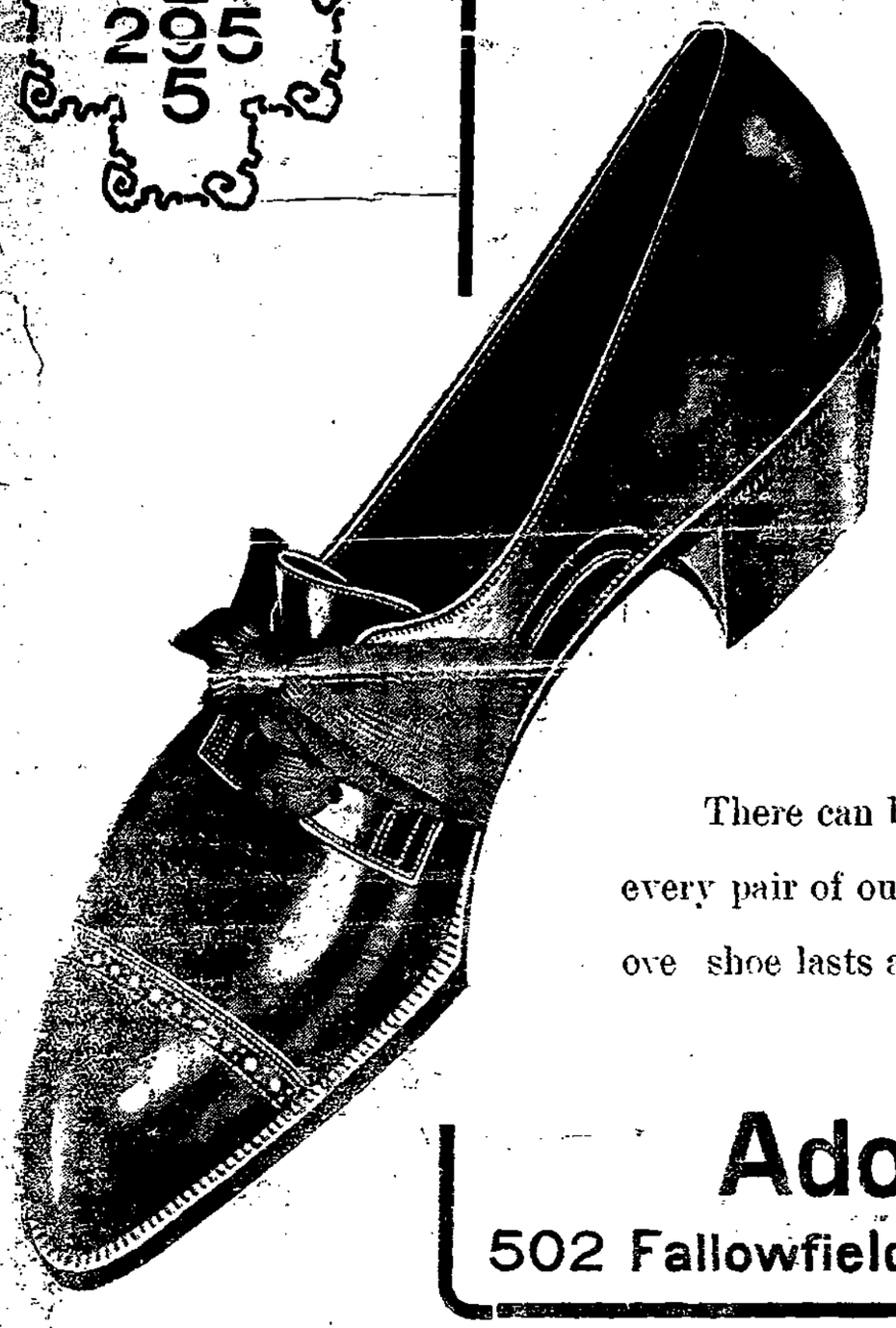
The Big Day--April 1st, 1910

THE City of Charleroi is 20 years old, and you are invited to attend and help celebrate the the occasion. Come, bring your friends and have a good time. Fun starts in the morning with Automobile parade and Hill Climbing Contest, for which three fine prizes are offered; also Bicycle and Foot Racing. Gus Sun's Minstrels at the Star Theatre, free in the afternoon. Five Big Acts at the Coyle Theatre beginning at 2 o'clock, afternoon free. Ball Game at 4:00 o'clock. Fire Companies' Drills for prizes. The Boys' Brigades of Monongahela, Monessen and Charleroi will compete for a prize.

NOT A STILL MINUTE

Come to Charleroi April 1st, 1910, for a Good Time

THE ADOLPH'S SPECIAL



An oxford that is as near perfection as modern methods of making, superior material and expert designing can make it.

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Feature Acts At Coyle Three Days

One of the best as well as the most diversified bills yet offered will be presented to the patrons of the Coyle Theatre for the last half of the week starting tonight.

The management has secured one of the funniest acts in vaudeville as an extra feature and they are coming direct from the big time, the act in question being none other than Crawford and Meeker, with a large collection of brand new jokes.

Another act deserving special mention is Signor De Angelo, late of the Metropolitan Opera House, New York City. The Signor will sing selections in Italian from the classical operas.

The other acts will keep up the same high standard of quality as heretofore mentioned.

Tomorrow afternoon the management will give a free matinee to out of town folks beginning at 2 o'clock, after which they will give another performance at regular matinee prices.

The body of George L. Hill, who died at Canonsburg, was brought to Charleroi this morning, and interment took place in Crowe's cemetery.

Mrs. S. A. Walton, daughter Lomas and son John have gone to Rices Landing, where they will visit briefly before going to Bucks county to make their future residence.

Ormsby A. C. Make Collegions Go Some

The Colonial Basketball team defeated the Ormsby A. C. last night by the score of 23 to 20, in one of the best and fastest games of the season at the local rink The score:

Colonials—23.		Ormsby A. C.—20.
T. Mangan	F.	Righte
F. Mangan	F.	Clarke
Wilson	C.	Wilkinson
Oller	G.	Harkins
L. Riggs	G.	Richards

Field goals—T. Mangan 1, F. Mangan 3, Wilson 6, Riggs 1, Righte 3 Clark 1, Wilkinson 1, Richards 1. Goals from fouls—Riggs 1, Righte 8. Referee—Wagner. Scorer—Richey.

Make Your Old Floors Look Like New.

If your floor is old and stained and needs something to hide the blemishes, don't use carpets—try my Ready-to-use Graining Process.

If you can wield a paint brush you can do it and the cost will not be over 2c per square foot—may be less. Ask T. P. Grant to tell you about the special assortment for one room at an introductory price.

No. 62 CHI-NAMEL.

Notice.

Orders received at 322 Fallowfield avenue for movings. 187t4

OTHER CLOCKS WILL NOW BE SET

They are setting big clocks in the cities today, and as soon as they're wound there'll be money to pay; the way they make "time fly" is sure something fierce, but there's no indication that money is "skearce." Some say 'tis a scheme to get money "on tick," and it is a good plan to raise "big money" quick; now these new clocks we speak of tell folks when to buy Chi-Namel,—a finish the whole world should try. Chi-Namel is ALL varnish—free from resin and benzine and rich in Chinese Oil. All colors and all size cans at our store. Sold by T. P. Grant. No. 2

Lady Maccabees Euchre.

The Lady Maccabees will hold a euchre at P. H. C. hall on Thursday evening March 31. Handsome favors will be awarded. Play begins promptly at 8 o'clock. Admission 35 cents A general invitation is extentded t. all. 187- o

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Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors and the Green Bottle Blowers Association of Charleroi for the many kindnesses extended us during the sickness and death of our son Fred Paul. All the kindly offices were duly appreciated and remembered with gratitude.

190t1p Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Paul.

The Palace—Charleroi.

"A Sardine Sandwich" was title of a most interesting and structive life motion picture film t was presented at the Palace Thea this week. The pictures showed sardine industry, how the fish w caught in weirs, dumped into schoo holds, and brought to the canning f tories. At the latter place an ar of girls cut the heads off the fish while in another department th were spread on wire gridirons a backed, much as bottles are temper in lehrs at the Imperial Bottle facto in Charleroi. Then girls packed t sardines into the round cornered t boxes so familiar to the retail tra faster than one could say "Jack Ro inson." Filling the boxes wi boiling oil the latter were automat cally sealed by a machine that did t business as fast as the boxes cou be fed into it. That done, they we packed and shipped to market, whe they become the delectable tidbit well known to every one.

New pictures will be on hand f Friday, the Anniversary celebration and the orchestral concerts will con stitute a part of the pleasure of th day.

Thursday specials at Wagner's Ic Cream Parlors are Raspberry Sherbe and Tuti Fruti Ice Cream. 190t

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FOR SALE—A rare coon and rab bit hound. If taken at once wil sacrifice at $15. Dr. Cornelius, 47 Donner Ave, Monessen, Pa. 190t

FOR SALE—High grade Walnu Klebe Piano. Will sell at sacrifice price. Going to California reason for disposing of it. Also household goods. Call Joseph Kenyon, 17 Lincoln avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 190t3

FOR SALE—Six room house with all modern improvements, 504 Meadow avenue, second lot from corner of Fifth street. Having concluded to move south I will sell at a bargain and on reasonable terms. John Shanton.

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LOST—Oil cup for automobile lamp. Finder return to 33 Mail office. 182tfp

WANTED—One large room or two small rooms on first floor for storage purposes. Address P. O. Box 46, Charleroi. 186t4

WANTED—at once, experienced wiremen, call or write. W. H. Helmey, Uniontown, Pa. 188t6

LOST—Sunday evening, lady's gold watch, either in Monessen or on Monessen-Charleroi street car. Inscription on inside case. Finder return to 248 Mail office and receive reward. 188t3

FOR SALE—Mule. Inquire of W. H. Calvert. 190t2p

Charter Notice.

In the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Washington.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the said Court on Monday the 25th. day of April A. D. 1910, under the provisions of the Act of Gen. Assembly of Pennsylvania approved the 29th. day of April A. D. 1874 and entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" and the supplemens thereto, for an intended corporation of the first class to be called "The St. James A. M. E. Church of Charleroi, Washington, County Pa." the character and object of which is the support of Public Worship according to the doctrine and subject to the discipline, usages and ministeral appointment of the "AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH" and for said purposes to have and posses and enjoy all the rights, privilages and benefits provided for such corporations by the above mentioned Act of Assembly, supplements and amendments. The proposed Charter for the intended corporation is now on file at No. 1914 Equity in the office of the Prothonotary of the above named County.

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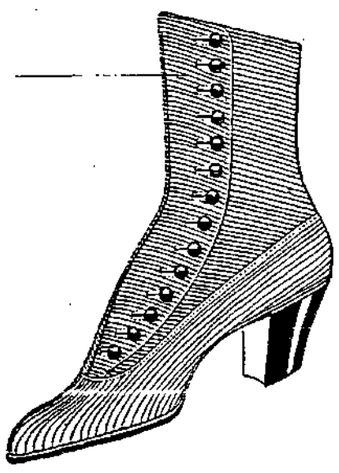

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LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

Frank Bly, the well known local contractor, who was injured by a fall, while employed at the Monier building on Fallowfield avenue, is able to be about again.

T. Cosgrave, who has charge of the office of the Washington Record in Monongahela, was a caller in Charleroi yesterday on business, and to visit friends.

Mrs. S. W. Sharpnack is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Wesley Henry is a visitor in Donora, today the guest of friends.

H. C. Cortwright has returned from a several day's trip to New York city, Philadelphia, and other Eastern places, where he visited friends.

J. H. Moore of Wheeling, W. Va., is here for a few day's business visit.

V. C. Hepler is removing his family to Tarentum, where he will be employed.

Miss Nannetta A. Shannon, has returned from Lock Haven, where she attended the Lock Haven Normal school.

Mrs. Nathan Greenberg went to Philadelphia yesterday for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Joseph Lichter and children left yesterday for Baltimore, Md., where they will attend the wedding of the former's sister, Miss Tressa Wolfson, who for several days was a guest here of relatives.

H. R Campbell, chief clerk in the county commissioners office, was in town from Washington over last night.

Benjamin Zimmers has moved his family from Charleroi to Monessen, where he is employed on the police force.

Mrs. Elizabeth McDonough went to Caliofrnia this morning for a visit with friends.

The funeral of Thomas McGuire who died Wednesday morning will be held from St. Jerome's Catholic church Friday morning at 9 o'clock, with requiem high mass. Interment in Calvary cemetery.

Mrs. Charles Riggs and daughters, Misses Mary and Virginia of Fairmont, W. Va., are here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Riggs and Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Reeves of Fallowfield avenue.

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